

STATEMENT OF WORK
Early Successional Habitat Development/Management (647)
Oklahoma

These deliverables apply to this individual practice. For other planned practice deliverables refer to those specific Statements of Work.

DESIGN**Deliverables:**

1. Design documents that demonstrate criteria in NRCS practice standard have been met and are compatible with planned and applied practices
 - a. Practice purpose(s) as identified in the conservation plan.
 - b. List of required permits to be obtained by the client
 - c. List all required and/or facilitating practices
 - d. Practice standard criteria-related computations and analyses to develop plans and specifications including but not limited to:
 - i. Desired plant community
 - ii. Erosion calculations (as needed)
 - iii. Vegetative manipulation
 - iv. Species selection
 - v. Wildlife considerations
2. Written plans and specifications including sketches and drawings shall be provided to the client that adequately describes the requirements to install the practice and obtain necessary permits. Plans and specifications shall be developed in accordance with the requirements of conservation practice standard Early Successional Habitat Development and Management (647).
3. Operation and maintenance plan
4. Certification that the design meets practice standard criteria and comply with applicable laws and regulations
5. Design modifications during application as required

Note: Job Sheet 647 01 is available for design.

INSTALLATION**Deliverables**

1. Pre-application conference with client
2. Verification that client has obtained required permits
3. Staking and layout according to plans and specifications including applicable layout notes
4. Application guidance as needed
5. Facilitate and implement required design modifications with client and original designer
6. Advise client/NRCS on compliance issues with all federal, state, tribal, and local laws, regulations and NRCS policies during application
7. Certification that the application process and materials meets design and permit requirements

Note: Job Sheet 647 01 is available to record design.

CHECK OUT**Deliverables**

1. Records of application
 - a. Targeted wildlife specie(s)
 - b. Targeted plant specie(s)
 - c. Location and size of habitat
 - d. Treatment methods
2. Certification that the application meets NRCS standards and specifications and is in compliance with permits
3. Progress reporting

REFERENCES

- NRCS Field Office Technical Guide (eFOTG), Section IV, Conservation Practice Standard Early Successional Habitat Development/Management - 647
- NRCS National Biology Manual
- NRCS National Biology Handbook

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- NRCS National Environmental Compliance Handbook
- NRCS Cultural Resources Handbook
- Oklahoma Conservation Practice Job Sheet – 647-1